

**ENTERED**

March 03, 2025

Nathan Ochsner, Clerk

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
HOUSTON DIVISION**LOUIS GALYNSKY a/k/a LOUIS VARGAS,<sup>1</sup> §

Plaintiff, §

vs. §

JANEICE THOMAS, *et al.*, §

Defendants. §

CIVIL ACTION NO. H-24-202

APPEAL NO. 24-20559

**ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO PROCEED ON APPEAL  
WITHOUT PAYING THE FILING FEE**

On November 19, 2024, the court dismissed the civil-rights action filed by former prisoner Louis Galynsky with prejudice. (Docket Entry Nos. 29, 30). Galynsky has appealed the final judgment. (Docket Entry No. 31). He has also filed a motion seeking leave to proceed on appeal without paying the filing fee. (Docket Entry No. 36). After considering the motion and supporting documentation, the court grants Galynsky's motion to proceed on appeal without paying the filing fee. (Docket Entry No. 36).

SIGNED on March 3, 2025, at Houston, Texas.



Lee H. Rosenthal  
Senior United States District Judge

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<sup>1</sup>In a letter motion filed with the court, Galynsky stated that he had changed his last name to Vargas. (Docket Entry No. 25, p. 1). Galynsky has never provided any documentation showing that he has legally changed his name. The court lists both names in an abundance of caution.